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In all stations of life, whose vigor and vitality may have been undermined and broken-down by over-work, exacting social duties, the too frequent bearing of children, or other causes, will find in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription the most potent, invigorating restorative strength-giver ever devised for their special benefit. Nursing mothers will find it especially valuable in sustaining their strength and promoting an abundant nourishment for the child. Expectant mothers too will find it a priceless boon to prepare the system for baby's coming and rendering the ordeal comparatively painless. It can do no harm in any state or condition of the female system.

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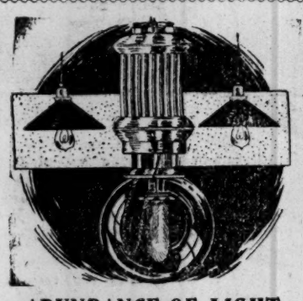

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THREE-MILLION-DOLLAR BABY.

A three-million-dollar baby has been born in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel K. Martin, in Chicago, and with its advent eight other children lost their interest in a little more than three million dollars' worth of property. The baby is the ninth to become heir to the estate of the late Otto Young, valued at $25,000,000. The property which he left, according to the terms of the will, is to be divided between his grandchildren. The income is divided between his widow and four daughters, but the principal is to be left intact for distribution among the second generation. The new Martin baby is the first young grandchild to be born into its rights since the death of Mr. Young.

Do not Crowd the Season.

The first warm days of spring bring with them a desire to get out and enjoy the exhilarating air and sunshine. Children that have been housed up all winter are brought out and you wonder where they all came from. The heavy winter clothing is thrown aside and many shed their flannels. Then a cold wave comes and people say that grip is epidemic. Colds at this season are even more dangerous than in mid-winter, as there is more danger of pneumonia Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, however, and you will have nothing to fear. It always cures, and we have never known a cold to result in pneumonia when it was used. It is pleasant and safe to take. Children like it. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

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Prior to that time they were compelled to go to some other school of the kind outside the State at much greater cost in tuition, traveling and living expenses than at the University of Virginia, while the latter offered to them a course of study equal to any of those referred to.

The course this year will be enlarged and modified somewhat in order to meet every demand of the High School requirements and the professional course of study.

The attendance last year was very gratifying for the first year, but the prospects are that the number this year will far exceed last year is enrollment.

The school of methods for elementary teachers will be held in connection with the University school as usual.

The session this year will begin June 18th, and close July 31st.

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FORMER EMPLOYEES TO SUE.

Suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad to recover money paid into the voluntary relief fund, the insurance benefit order of the railroad, will probably be filed in Altoona, Pa., by the 2,140 shop employes laid off Monday. It is estimated the claims of the discharged men for ten years aggregate $264,000, and efforts are expected to recover this money.

PROFESSORS RESIGN.

Charles Zueblin, professor of sociology of Chicago University, who has been called "the most spectacular man on the faculty" and Prof. Frank Frost Abbott have tendered their resignations and will become faculty members of eastern institutions. Prof. Abbott, who gives up the chair of Latin, will go to Princeton University. Prof. Zueblin, it is said, will take a position in an institution in Boston. The trustees have not as yet acted on the resignations.

Kodol is a scientific preparation of vegetable acids with natural digestants and contains the same juices found in a healthy stomach. Each dose will digest more than 3,000 grains of good food. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

FRANCHISE AMENDED.

After a fight that has extended through the administration of Mayor Dunne, the Chicago, City Council, after a fight lasting until early Tuesday, voted an amended franchise to the Commonwealth Edison Company. The new franchise, its enemies declare, gives the company a virtual monopoly in furnishing electricity for light and power, giving it the right to discriminate in its rates for service furnished and to charge whatever it pleases for emergency service. For the franchise the city is to be paid three per cent. of the gross receipts of the concern. In turn it will pay $75 each year for each arc light furnished.

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When two of them, taste and smell, having been impaired if not utterly destroyed, by Nasal Catarrh, are fully restored by Ely's Cream Balm, can you doubt that this remedy deserves all that has been said of it by the thousands who have used it? It is applied directly to the affected air-passage and begins its healing work at once. Why not get it today? All druggists or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York, on receipt of 50 cents.

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Banking House and Real Estate	15,501 28
Cash	50,123 27
Due from Banks and Reserve Agents	100,944 49
5 Per Cent Redemption Fund	5,000 00
	$1,115,719 93

Liabilities.

Capital	$100,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	177,150 20
Circulation	100,000 00
Deposits	688,129 78
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DECEMBER 3, 1907.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$569,556.85	Capital	$100,000.00
U. S. Bonds, to secure circulation,	100,000.00	Surplus	50,000.00
Bonds, to secure U. S. Deposit	53,000 00	Undivided Profits	56,252.57
Other Bonds and Stocks	28,111.56	Circulation	98,900.00
Banking House & Real Estate	52,856.97	Deposits	$86,818.29
Cash	43,921.72	U. S. Deposit	50,000.00
Due from Banks & Reserve Agents,	94,523.76		
	$941,970.86		$941,970.86

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Pair, $1.00, $1.50, $2 00 and $2.50.

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The Invisible Lacing Corsets, well known for their comfort and durability

Pair, $1 00, $1.50.

The Ferris Waists for Ladies, Children and Misses

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NOTICE TO GAS CONSUMERS.

Gas bills for the quarter ending March 1 1908, having been delivered, this is to notify all customers that the usual discount will be allowed on all bills paid on or before April 1, 1908. After that date no discount will be allowed and delinquents will be required to make early settlement. By order of the Committee on Light. J. B. WALLER, Clerk of Gas.
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Silk and Wool Striped Voiles, in street and evening shades, $1.75 and $2.00 a yard.

Bordered Voiles, ribbon stripe design, in the new spring colorings, 54 inches wide, $2.50 a yard.

Chiffonette, in new soft shadings of tan, champaign, Copenhagen and navy blue, 47 inches wide, $1 85 a yard.

Ribbon Stripe Net—a sheer all-wool fabric in net mesh with a handsome ribbon stripe—the latest Paris shadings, 47 inches wide, $2 50 a yard.

Medium-weight Fabrics.

Shadow Chiffon Stripes, in brown, Copenhagen and navy blue, and old rose, 75c and $1 a yard.

Chiffon Taffeta, in the new street colors, $1.00 and $1.25 a yard.

Herringbone and Chevron Stripe Serges, in brown, Copenhagen and navy blue, 75c, $1, $1 25, and $1.50 a yard.

German and English Striped Cloths, for tailor made suits, $2 50 a yard.

Second floor—G st.

Tomorrow, Friday, Is REMNANT DAY.

We have cleaned out our stocks, in all the various departments, more thoroughly than usual this week, and assembled the remnants for quick selling.

Prices are way down—not in a few parts of the store, but everywhere that remnants exist—and there will be splendid bargains in merchandise, both for personal and household uses, if you want happens to be represented.

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PROPOSALS.

Fort Myer, Va., March 22, 1908. Sealed proposals in triplicate will be received at the office of the Quartermaster until 11 o'clock a. m., April 6, 1908, and then opened, for installing plumbing in 1 Set Field Officers' Quarters, 3 Double Sets Lieutenants' Quarters, 1 Barrack, 1 Stable and 1 Gun Shed. Bidders must state the trade name of the fixtures on which they base their proposals, as well as the name of the producing manufacturer. Certified check or surety company's guarantee for 10 per cent. of the amount must accompany bid. Plans and specifications will be furnished on application to this office, and a deposit of $10 for plans must accompany request to insure safe return. The Government reserves the right to reject any or all bids. Proposals should be indorsed "Proposals for Plumbing," and addressed to Captain B. B. HYER, Constructing Quartermaster. mar23, 24, 25, 26 apr3,4

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ALEXANDRIA GAZETTE AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER

THURSDAY EVENING, MAR. 26, 1908.

THE revised and condensed edition of the special message which President Roosevelt sent to Congress on January 31 was transmitted to that body and given to the general public yesterday, after it had been hawked about Wall street, according to reliable reports from that thoroughfare, for the best part of a week. In the light of the latter fact, it is entirely plain why Wall street should have been the scene of a strong bull movement in stocks the last few days. The message breathes the warmest solicitude for the welfare of the great business interests of the country, now menaced, the President declares, by the harsh provisions of the Sherman anti-trust act, and no less ardent longing to relieve labor organizations and farmers' organizations from the alleged danger of being put of business by the same fearsome and unwise measures. The President indorses the bill introduced the other day by Mr. Hepburn to amend the anti-trust act and urges that it or one of similar import be passed, so as to give the railroads the right under certain limitations to make traffic agreements. The main object of the message appears to be to secure votes for the administration's candidate.

A DISPATCH from Annapolis says: U. S. Senator Burrows failed yesterday in an effort to induce Congressman Mudd to secure from the republican members of the Maryland general assembly a protest against the seating of Senator-elect J. Walter Smith. Mr. Mudd was in Annapolis when advised by telephone that if such a protest was received the Senate would give it heed and probably act accordingly. Mudd replied, and be it said to his credit, that he had been opposed in the first place to making this a partisan question. He did not believe this should be done. He took the broad ground that the State should not be deprived of a representative on technical grounds, and therefore declined to do as requested. Mr. Burrows is from Michigan and is the chairman of the Senate committee on elections and his effort to stir up strife in another State and to prejudice a case before it comes to him for his decision is a remarkable step for a United States Senator to take.

A DISPATCH from Chicago says: "The return of prosperity" has been signalized by the packers with an advance in the prices of all kinds of meats. Last fall, when the financial pinch came, after the packers had begun to elevate prices, the prices dropped. Dressed beef is now up $1 a hundred, and mutton and lamb are up 3 to 5 cents a pound. Pork, which is the cheapest of all meats, is up 2 cents a pound. Well, some reason by many people is considered better than no reason at all, but to advance prices for anything at this time on the ground of the "return of prosperity" seems to be the limit. Why, one cannot look at a newspaper now without seeing that industries are closing and men being laid off for the reason of the stringency of the times. But the meat and other trusts believe they can fool the people at all times.

REPORTS from New York state that President Roosevelt's message was received in Wall street with great joy yesterday. It was interpreted as a message of peace to the corporations, and there were rumors that some very large campaign contributions had already been made this week as a result of it. This is undoubtedly an intimation of a "deal" in which it is unfortunate, to say the least, that the name of the President is connected. The report adds that although the message was not published until noon yesterday, it was freely circulated in Wall street on Tuesday, every statement contained in it having been known to the brokers and having been printed in the Wall Street News slips.

MR. JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER, jr., as head of the men's Bible class in the Fifth Avenue Baptist Church, at New York, has just completed the arrangements for a national organization of Bible classes, and the first meeting is to be held April 1 in his church. It is his further purpose to have each class adopt the "Big Brother" plan of helping the boys of the respective cities who are born into unfavorable environment. It consists in each member making himself personally responsible for one or more such waifs, helping not so much by the gift of money as by advice, sympathy and friendship.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, D. C., March 26.

The Senate committee on finance today agreed to accept the following amendments to the Aldrich financial bill: Including Philippine and municipal bonds in the class acceptable as security for emergency circulation; requiring banks accepting deposits of government money directly from the Treasury Department to pay a tax of one per cent. per annum on the amount; amending the present regulations regarding the bank reserves as follows: "That after January 1, 1909, national banking associations located outside of reserve or central reserve cities which are now required by law to keep a reserve equal to 15 per cent. of their deposit liabilities shall hereafter hold in their own vaults four fifths of such reserves either in lawful money, as now required, by law, or in the securities enumerated in section 2 of this act, which shall have been approved by the Secretary of the Treasury; provided, however, that not more than one third of the reserves required to be kept in the vaults of such associations shall be held in such securities." A further amendment was agreed to, on motion of Senator Allison. Its effect is to ensure the permanent retirement of the emergency currency as soon as it is returned to the Treasury Department by a national bank that issued it. As the bill was originally drawn, it would have been possible for the emergency currency thus returned to have been turned into the general treasury fund, thus making a permanent enlargement of the circulation. A further amendment was agreed to. Its affect is to ensure the permanent retirement of the emergency currency as soon as at is returned to the Treasury Department by a national bank that issued it. As the bill was originally drawn, it would have been possible for the emergency currency thus returned to have been turned into the general treasury fund, thus making a permanent enlargement of the circulation.

Mrs Roosevelt and her party will leave for the south tonight. All of Mrs. Roosevelt's children will be included in the party, as well as Miss Isabel Hagner, Mrs. Cliffe Richardson and two or three other personal friends. From Washington the party will travel by rail to Vicksburg, Mississippi, where they will board the President's yacht Mayflower. From Vicksburg they will go to New Orleans, and from there they will return to the capital by train. Ever since the President made his trip down the Mississippi river last fall, the younger Roosevelts have been begging their parents to allow them an opportunity to go over the same route. The President and Mrs. Roosevelt finally compromised with the youngsters on a short river trip, and the President assured them that the journey from Vicksburg to New Orleans was by far the best portion of the river to see. It will be the first time either Mrs. Roosevelt or her children will have travelled on the Mississippi. They will return to Washington in about a week or ten days.

Report that friends of Justice Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court have been attempting to get through the House an appropriation to authorize justices of the court to retain, at government expense their private secretaries, when they retire, has led to the rumor that the Kentuckian is soon to retire. Justice Harlan has been on this bench since 1877, having been appointed by President Hayes. He is 75, and could have retired five years ago. It is said that he desires to re-enter private life, so that he may be able to write his memories.

Representative Hepburn, of Iowa is "dead sore" because the bill amending the Sherman anti-trust law was referred to the judiciary committee instead of the interstate and foreign commerce committee of which he is chairman. Col. Hepburn had a talk with the President about the bill today and when he emerged from the Executive office was asked when he thought the bill would be reported. "That's hard to tell," he replied, "up to date there has never been a subject on which more than three of that committee could ever reach an agreement.

The suit brought by Japanese restaurant and bath house keepers of San Francisco in the civil courts of that city for damages incurred against their property in the street railway strike riots May 20 last, has been compromised by the injured parties agreeing to accept a total of $450 from the city of San Francisco.

The Senate committee on commerce to-day made favorable reports on the bill authorizing the immediate expenditure of $300,000 out of the appropriation for the improvement of the Mississippi river, for the purpose of constructing certain sunken revetment works in front of the city of New Orleans. A committee of citizens and engineers of that place was in behalf of the bill.

Word was received from South Carolina this morning, that although Senator Tillman is somewhat improved, there is very little chance of his being able to return to Washington before the adjournment of Congress. His friends here are considerably encouraged over the report of his physician that the Senator is not suffering from any organic trouble and that there is nothing alarming in his condition at this time.

Thomas F. Chapman, jr., has been appointed postmaster at Gunston, Fairfax county, Va., vice J. M. Springman, resigned.

Sixtieth Congress.

Washington, Mar. 26.

SENATE.

Immediately after the Senate convened today Senator Rayner (dem. Md.) presented the credentials of John Walter Smith, his colleague, chosen by the legislature to succeed the late William Pinkney Whyte, announcing that Mr. Smith was present to take the oath. Mr. Burrows (repn. Mich.), chairman of the committee of privileges and elections, objected. He explained that Mr. Smith's election by the legislature was not in accordance with the constitution, saying that the Maryland legislature elected Mr. Smith on the 24th of March and not on the second Tuesday, after notification of a vacancy as required. He maintained that March 31 would have been the earliest date on which the election could have been legally held.

Mr. Raynor declares Mr. Burrows was in error and had misconstrued the section on which he relies. The legislature was in session when Senator Whyte died and received notification Tuesday. On Tuesday of this week, Mr. Smith was elected.

The legislature adjourns next Monday by constitutional limitation, and Maryland will be denied to representation if Smith is refused admittance.

Mr. Raynor contended that Mr. Smith was entitled to take the oath.

HOUSE.

Mr. Beall, of Texas, addressed the House regarding the State's rights and Mr. Sulzer failed to object. Mr. Beall took the President to task for urging District Attorney Baker, of the District of Columbia to urge that Mr. Harper be sent to jail for an alleged violation of the pure food law.

"It would be infinitely better for a thousand men to defy that law than for the President to descend from his high position to attempt to dictate to a minor official what he shall do or not do," exclaimed Mr. Beall.

News of the Day.

Ignatius J. Dunn, of Omaha, will make the speech nominating Bryan at Denver.

Rev. Dr. Charles Cuthbert Hall, president of Union Theological Seminary, died yesterday.

Officials believe that Charlemagne Tower is in some way responsible for the refusal of the Kaiser to receive David Jayne Hill as Ambassador to Germany.

The Indiana State democratic convention met at Indianapolis today and at once set about nominating candidates for State offices. It was clearly a Bryan convention.

The reception to Senator Knox, planned by the Pennsylvania Club, of Washington, for last night, was postponed, owing to the serious illness of Senator Penrose.

The American Newspaper Publishers' Association has been informed that the ways and means committee of the House of Representatives will refuse to discuss tariff revision until after the presidential election.

The town of Lynn, Ga., six miles from Bainbridge was destroyed by a cyclone early yesterday morning. Two persons were killed—Jim Wright, colored, and a child of Mayor Lyles. A number of others were injured.

A platform which endorses the State and national administrations, urged the candidacy of Speaker Cannon for the presidency and advises a revision of the tariff, was adopted by the Illinois republican State convention today.

The Department of Justice is preparing its case to test the commodity clause of the interstate commerce law. Until this case is brought before the Supreme Court and settled by that tribunal, the government will make no prosecution under this paragraph of the law.

The District of Columbia Commissioners yesterday reported to Representative Smith, chairman of the House District committee, on the Carlin milk bill and recommended adverse action on it. They say that if the bill became a law existing restrictions upon the sale of milk in the District would be relaxed.

Frank Frorer, president of a Lincoln, Ill., bank and of the Lincoln Mining Company, was held up by three highwaymen yesterday afternoon two blocks from the public square of Lincoln and robbed of the $5,000 monthly pay roll of the mining company. Two of the robbers were caught, but the third escaped with the money.

Admitting his identity as the French prince who is such a devoted admirer of Mme. Anna Gould, former Countess Castellane, and that he had followed her from Paris to New York, Prince Helie de Sagan returned to New York from Philadelphia yesterday. He declined to either deny or affirm the report that he has already married Mme. Gould.

Gov. Hughes, of New York, announced last night that he had carefully examined the evidence in the case of Chester Gillette, and had found no ground which would justify him in interfering with the judgment of the court. Gillette is to die in the electric chair at Auburn prison next week, for the murder of Grace Brown, at Big Moose Lake in the Adirondacks.

Delegates to the State democratic convention were selected yesterday from twenty-six districts in Indianapolis to the national convention at Denver and the committee on rules selected four delegates at large. A majority of the delegates will vote for the re-election of Thomas Taggart as the Indiana member of the national committee and all will support Mr. Bryan.

The Washington, Baltimore and Annapolis Electric Railway Company run its first electric car under its own power from Baltimore to the national capital yesterday. The car also went to Annapolis, where it made a circuit through the streets of that place. While a regular schedule will not be put in operation between Baltimore and Washington until April 1, the running of the first car yesterday was looked upon as the practical opening of the line.

Paul Bignami, said to to be the head of the San Francisco colony of anarchists, was arrested yesterday and an attempt will be made to have him deported. Bignami, who is from New Orleans, harangued a crowd in San Francisco, and a policeman says he heard Bignami say that the fleet on its arrival should be blown out of the water; that President Roosevelt should be assassinated, and that the entire police department of San Francisco should be wiped out.

The Tennessee republican State convention called to select presidential electors and delegates for the state at large to the Chicago convention met in Nashville, yesterday, and for nearly an hour a battle royal waged. It was a fight in which hundreds participated from time to time—a genuine rough and-tumble affair—precipitated by the efforts of the Evans-Hale delegates to take charge of the rostrum already held by the Oliver-Austin-Brownlow wing of the party.

The inquest into the death of Walter Farnsworth Baker, which has been going on at Hackensack, N. J., for several weeks, was brought to a close yesterday when the coroner's jury, returned a verdict that Baker's death was due to arsenic poisoning, the poison administered by some person or persons unknown to the jury. Baker, who made his home with the family of Frank H. Hurd, in Bogota, came from Boston and was possessed of considerable wealth. On the night of October 26 last he went to New York city accompanied by a party of friends. Baker left the rest of the party upon reaching New York, and was not seen by them again until several hours later and after he had taken ill. Rejoining his friends he was hurried home and died about an hour after Bogota was reached.

With her husband at her bedside imploring forgiveness, Mrs. Andrew J. Borden, a wealthy young woman, of Newton Highlands, Mass., is dying at the hospital at Providence, R. I., after drinking carbolic acid. The police say that she attempted a icide because her husband refused a reconciliation.

A wireless received at New York from the Lusitania says that the Duke of Abruzzi admits a tentative engagement to marry Miss Katherine Elkins. He said there were many matters, religious and otherwise, yet to be arranged which might cause delays.

Virginia News.

Miss Lulu Bettis, daughter of Samuel Bettis, of Lincoln, Loudoun county, was married on Tuesday to Mr. W. H. Thomas, of Purcellville.

Mrs. J. M. Buck, widow of J. M. Buck, died very suddenly on Tuesday morning, aged about 60 years, from paralysis, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Irving Buck, in Front Royal.

Miss Katharine C. Boyd, daughter of Dr. Philip W. Boyd, was married yesterday evening in Winchester to Mr. Frederick L. Glaize. The ceremony took place in the bride's home.

Police Commissioner Chris Mann, jr., and Gilbert K. Pollock, councilman and attorney, engaged in a fist fight in the Capitol Square in Richmond yesterday. The two men had for years been close friends, and a brother to the councilman is now clerk to the Chief of Police, having been elected with the vote of the commissioner. It is said that the lie passed between the two men before they came to blows.

Messrs. Davis & Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant, this week, to citizens of this State, of the following patents: O. G. Haley, of Kents Store, cider-press; F. Von Kugelgen and G. O. Seward, of Holcombs Rock, cyclic process of recovering metallic tin; F. Von Kugelgen and G. O Seward, of Holcombs Rock, electrolyzing aqueous solutions of stannic chlorid; F. Von Kugelgen and G. O. Seward, of Holcombs Rock, electrolyzing aqueous stannic-chlorid solutions; F. M. Moses, of Burkes Garden, feeder and corn shock binder; R. L Smith, of Lynchburg, feeding device for draft-animals; W. B. Wade, of Ridgeway, valve mechanism, and P. Garrett, of Norfolk, bottle.

MR. BRYAN IN RICHMOND.

Mr. William Jennings Bryan, who as the guest of the Virginia Legislature delivered a political address at the Auditorium in Richmond last night to the members of the General Assembly and the people of Virginia, was asked after the speaking if he had any thing to say concerning the attitude toward him of Senator John W. Daniel and the propriety of electing the Virginia Senator as a delegate at large to the Denver convention.

Mr Bryan replied: "I am sorry that Senator Daniel was called away by the sad death of Florida's brilliant Senator. Maj. Daniel and I have been friends for a great many years. In 1896, when he introduced me here in Richmond, he paid me the highest compliments that were paid during the campaign, when, paraphrasing a sentence from Holy Writ, he said of me: "He has rolled away the stone from the sepulcher in which democracy lay buried."

"Senator Daniel has visited me in Nebraska, and I have met him in Washington and at other places, and always with pleasure. While we differed as to some matters at St. Louis, our differences did not interfere with our personal relations. We may not agree upon all public questions, but differences among democrats are to be expected, for democrats believe that each man should think for himself, and that the opinion of the majority should control in all matters of government and of party policy. Neither enemies nor friends shall be permitted to disturb the cordial relations existing between Senator Daniel and myself."

There were five thousand people in the auditorium when the speaker arrived. Perhaps three times that number had been turned away for lack of seating capacity. The chief of police estimates the actual number that turned out to hear Bryan at 20,000, which surpasses in size any crowd ever assembled in Richmond.

SOUTHERN METHODISTS.

A resolution offered by Rev. Forest J. Prettyman, and coming from the Northern Methodist Church, which is aimed to unite the Northern and Southern churches of this denomination, and which was referred to a special committee of eight, was the most important matter taken up during the session of the Baltimore Conference, Methodist Episcopal Church South, which began its deliberations in Roanoke yesterday morning.

It is hinted that a report will be forthcoming from the special committee, which was in session all of the afternoon, that will look toward a final settlement of the matter of consolidation, and that following the meeting of the conference of the Northern church, the two branches may be united under one central organization.

The reading of the reports of the presiding elders and the election of Dr. J. A. Armstrong, of Baltimore, to the office of secretary of the conference for the fifty-first time were the features of the business session. Standing committees were also appointed.

Rev. E. V. Regester, presiding elder, of Washington district, reported his district as moving forward. There had been 430 conversions and 730 accessions, with a net gain of 400 after having pruned the lists. At Fairfax there had been overpayment on all assessments. A new church had been built in the best section of Georgetown, as well as at several other points in the district, and many improvements of church properties. Rev. Charles D. Bulla has built at Alexandria a Young People's Building for institutional work at a cost of $23,000.

TAX LEVY INVALID.

Judge Fred Moore in Asheville, N. C., yesterday rendered his decision in the matter of the Southern Railway against the board of county commissioners of Buncombe and the tax collector, sustaining the contention of the complainant and continuing the injunction prayed for, holding that the tax levy in question is invalid and restraining the tax collector from collecting this tax. The tax collector and the county commissioners of Mecklenburg are also enjoined on the same grounds in a similar suit from collecting a similar tax from the Southern. The amount of this tax against the Southern in the two named counties is $15,000. Judge Moore's decision, however, is of greater significance than in its application solely to the Southern, as $60,000 in taxes in Buncombe and more than $100,000 in Mecklenburg are illegal and can be resisted by taxpayers. The bond acts, which provided for special taxes to meet interest and sinking funds, failed to observe the legal requirement as to ratio of taxes.

Senator Penrose is still in a precarious condition at his home in Philadelphia and there is grave doubt of his recovery.

The Legislature.

Reconvening for the purpose of acting finally upon the charges heretofore formulated against Judge J. W. G. Blackstone, of Accomac, the general assembly yesterday received a written answer from the accused jurist, and referred the entire subject to the committees for Courts of Justice of the two houses, with instructions to report back at noon today.

SENATE.

Thirty-seven members out of a possible forty were in their seats in the Senate, only Senators Chase, McAlexander and Parsons being absent.

Clerk Booker started to report a joint resolution sent over from the House looking to taking up unfinished business on the calendar, which resolution has been on the clerk's desk since before the beginning of the recess. The chair ruled that the Blackstone matter should have precedence, and inquired of the clerk whether any answer had been filed by Judge Blackstone. Clerk Booker reported that neither he nor the clerk of the House of Delegates had received any answer from Judge Blackstone except the formal acknowledgment of the notice of charges.

At 1:30 o'clock Senator Mann, chairman of the committee, reported that he had been informed that Judge Blackstone's reply would be filed with the joint committees for courts of justice at 3 o'clock and asked that the chair be vacated until 4:30 p. m., with the understanding that at that time the committee would be ready to report.

Before the motion to adjourn was taken, Delegate Featherston reported that the House had passed a joint resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of eight, five from the House and three from the Senate, to make a full and through investigation of the State's interest in the fish and oyster industries, and to recommend to the next General Assembly such legislation as may seem advisible. The committee is directed especially to inquire into all questions relating to the Baylor survey and as to any changes that may seem necessary in the laws governing the natural oyster rock.

The resolution was read, and on motion was referred to the committee on fish and game, where many members think it will be put to sleep indefinitely.

When the Senate reconvened at 4:30 p. m. Delegate Eugene C. Massie reported that the House had passed a joint resolution providing that the answer of Judge J. W. G. Blackstone be referred to the committees for courts of justice of the House and Senate, to sit in joint session and to report to the House and Senate today. Senator Keezell objected, declaring that the answer of Judge Blackstone had not yet been laid before the Senate, and therefore could not be referred. The answer was handed to the clerk's desk and read, proving to be a formal and general denial by Judge Blackstone that he had been guilty, of gross immorality or neglect of official duty as set forth in the specifications and charges served upon him.

Judge Mann then moved that the Senate concur in the House resolution, and the Senate unanimously agreed. The Senate then adjourned till today.

Mr. Curlett, of Lancaster, offered the following joint resolution:

"Whereas, there is much important unfinished business on the calendars of both houses; be if resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, that each House proceed to dispatch the said unfinished business as expeditiously as possible."

Mr. Page offered an amendment providing that if the Blackstone matter is disposed of by 2 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, an adjournment be had at that time. The resolution was tabled.

At the afternoon session the clerk read the following answer from Judge Blackstone:

"Now comes the respondent, J. W. G. Blackstone, and denies that he has been guilty of gross immorality or neglect of official duty as set forth in the specifications and charges served upon him.

"J. W. G. BLACKSTONE.

"Fay S. Collier and C. Aylett Ashby, counsel."

Mr. Massie, chairman of the committee for courts of justice, offered the following joint resolution, which was adopted:

"Resolved, by House of Delegates, the Senate concurring, that the answer of J. W. G. Blackstone be referred to the committee for courts of justice of the House and Senate (which committee shall sit in joint session) with instructions to consider the same and report tomorrow."

The House at 4:50 o'clock p. m. adjourned until noon today.

THE BLACKSTONE CASE.

A resolution was introduced in the legislature yesterday setting forth the causes why Judge J. W. G. Blackstone, of the Eleventh judical circuit, against whom charges of removal are now pending, should be removed and formally recommending his removal.

With the adoption of the resolution by the general assembly, the bench of the Eleventh circuit will be declared vacated and the assembly will appoint a time to name a successor to Judge Blackstone. Included in the resolutions will be the causes for removal, which embrace immorality and neglect of official duty.

That a vigorous fight will follow the introduction of the resolution is assured. As ground why the legislature should not proceed, it will be alleged that the charges were really not presented until Judge Blackstone had filed his answer showing that he would oppose removal. The finding of the House commission, it will be held, were relative to the merits of the case.

The attitude of the House toward Judge Blackstone is such that the resolution is practically assured of passage.

Judge Blackstone, although still suffering from illness, appeared at the capitol yesterday to look after his defense in person. He filed answer to the finding of the house committee through his counsel, Fay S. Collier and C. Aylett Ashby, in which he denied that he has been guilty of either gross immorality or neglect of official duty as set forth in the charges and specifications served upon him.

Tetter, Salt Rheum and Eczema.

These are diseases for which Chamberlain's Salve is especially valuable. It quickly allays the itching and smarting and soon effects a cure. Price, 25 cents. For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

The Market.

Georgetown, D. C., Mar. 26.—Wheat 90 96

Today's Telegraphic News.

The Kaiser and Dr. Hill.

Berlin, Mar. 26.—While the German foreign office unquestionably knows why the Kaiser does not want Dr. David Jayne Hill as successor to Ambassador Charlemagne Tower, not a word of explanation of its purpose has been allowed to reach the public.

Reports that Germany has declared the doctors too small a man for the Berlin post may be stated on the highest authority to be untrue. Perhaps the rumor had its origin in a remark the Kaiser recently made to American Vice Consul Cauldwell, due to arrive in New York tomorrow on the steamer Pretoria. "I want you to tell President Roosevelt," his majesty said, "that I am angry because he accepted Ambassador Tower's resignation." The Kaiser unquestionably spoke jokingly. Neverless, it is whispered in official circles here that his observation verged on interference with a purely American matter. It was certainly diametrically opposed to the government's previtus assent to Dr. Hill's appointment. It will be said that Wilhelm spoke privately and unofficially That his majesty's over impetuousity had something, at least, to do with creating the present unpleasant incident is generally believed.

It the Kaiser's playful remark was really interpreted as an objection to Hill's appointment and especially if it was made the basis of the representations to that effect to Washington, it is openly asserted here that a private conversation has been grossly abused, and that his majesty, now out of the country on his vacation trip to Corfu, will not be slow to say as much when the matter is brought to his attention.

The situation is complicated by the fact that Ambassador Tower is believed here to desire to remain in Berlin, that he merely mentioned to the President a desire to retire but actually took no steps in that direction and that official Germany thinks he is disposed to do everything in his power to retain his position.

Ambassador Tower in an interview today said: "I can say nothing relative to the Hill matter. I refer all inquiries to the State Department, Washington."

That the present difficulty was wholly unexpected is shown by Dr. Hill's recent visit to Berlin where he rented a house, arranged for hotel quarters until his official residence was ready for occupancy and employed a corps of servants.

An official statement by the German government says: "When Dr. Hill's name was first suggested the German government made inquiries concerning him, received the most favorable replies and assented to his appointment. So far as the German government is concerned the situation is unchanged. Germany has officially assented and still assents to Dr. Hill's appointment."

According to Berlin diplomatic gossip Tower who has not resigned but suggested some time ago a wish to retire, has changed his mind and prefers to retain his present post.

From Hayti.

Port au Prince, Mar. 26.—Though President Nord Alexis confesses he cannot imagine why the United States gunboats Marietta and Paduch should have been ordered to join the cruiser Des Moines and the gunboat Eagle in Haytian waters, he expressed himself as rather relieved than otherwise at the strengthening of the American force there.

The President has been exceedingly apprehensive of agression by one or more of the European powers, and he regards the additions to the little American fleet as a further guarantee of safety for his government.

The practically completed arrangements by the diplomatic representatives at Port au Prince that the powers takes turns in keeping a warship at this port does not please him so well. He looks on the presence of European vessels as a foreign menace.

A decree of banishment was proclaimed today against all refugees still in the consulates. Those who actually participated in the recent rebellion have already left the country but most of the mere suspects are still in the country.

Revolutionary Movement in China.

Pekin, Mar. 26.—Wholesale arrests are being made in an effort to check the anti-government movement which has followed the settlement of the Tatsu Maru incident.

Revolutionary leaders were prompt to avail themselves of China's final surrender to Japan as an excuse for fomenting popular discontent with the "cowardice" of the country's rulers. They have succeeded so well that all the more important cities are hot beds of anti-government conspiracy, and several provinces are on the verge of revolt, not to mention those where rebellion has been chronic for months.

An especially alarming feature of the situation is the number of rich and prominent Chinese who are enlisted in the revolutionary movement. Numbers of these have fled from their homes to districts where the government is already so weak that they feel themselves safe from arrest.

Japan is adding to China's embarrassment by hinting more and more broadly that Pekin must put a stop to the spreading anti-Japanese boycott or look out for international complications.

Senator Penrose's Condition.

Philadelphia, Mar. 26.—The condition of Senator Penrose was reported at nine o'clock this morning unchanged. He is still most seriously ill, is the way the physicians in attendance put it, although they declined at that time to issue any official statement.

It was explained that the Senator is today facing the crisis in the complication of erysipelas and congestion of the lungs with which he is suffering, and that it is impossible to make any statement as to his condition or the chances for his recovery. The high fever noted yesterday is reported as somewhat abated, and this is a source of gratification to the specialists, who are in constant attendance. The pulse, however, continues very low and weak and his strength is reported to be constantly failing.

Cause of Stomach Troubles.

When a man has trouble with his stomach you may know that he is eating more than he should or of some article of food or drink not suited to his age or occupation, or that his bowels are habitually constipated. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets to regulate the bowels and improve the digestion and see if the trouble does not disappear. Ask for a free sample. Sold by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

Union Pacific Railway.

New York, March 26.—Probably the most important meeting of the directors of the Union Pacific Railway in several years was held here today. Every member of the board, including E. H. Harriman, Otto Kahn, Messrs. Earlin, Hughitt, Frick, Vanderlip, Peabody and Wm. Rockefeller, were present. Much mystery was thrown about the gathering and all refused to answer questions, although stating that an official statement would be issued later.

It was learned from a usually trustworthy source that the directors considered the creation of a mortgage against which will be issued bonds for new financing. The exact amount is withheld pending the official statement, but it is understood to be between $40,000,000 and $50,000,000. Nothing was done by the so-called segregating plan.

Gillette To Die.

Auburn, N. Y., March 26.—The following correspondence has taken place:

Governor Hughes, Albany:

Can you say before your God that you have no doubt of Chester's guilt? If you cannot then his blood will be upon your head.

(SIGNED) HIS MOTHER,
32 Seminary Street.

Executive Mansion, Albany, N. Y.—Governor Hughes does not think himself justified in interfering with the decision of the court of appeals.

(SIGNED) ROBERT H. FULLER,
Secretary to the Governor.

The above telegram and answer tell the story of the last attempt of a heart-broken mother to save the life of a son who faces death in the electric chair in the old prison here.

Chester Gillette will be electrocuted on Monday.

The Lealand Burned.

Springfield, Ill., Mar. 26.—The Lealand hotel is on fire. Many of the delegates to the State republican convention are stopping at this hotel. The Lealand is one of the largest hotels in Illinois. The fire caused the republican State convention to disband in a hurry. The House was full of the belongings of delegates and politicians and even when the fire alarm was soudned the delegates left the place for the fire.

Present indications are that the entire block adjacent to the Lealand hotel will be burned.

The hotel is an entire loss and the firemen are directing their efforts to stop the spread of the flames to other buildings.

The Knickerbocker Trust Company.

New York, Mar. 26.—The Knickerbocker Trust Company reopened its doors at noon today. Its big stone quarters on Fifth avenue was the storm center of hundreds of people long before the time set for the opening but not all of them were creditors of the largest trust company in the city whose failure last fall brought desolation to its thousands of depositors. Many of these in the crowd today announced that they intended to make deposits, as they were satisfied the concern was not only solvent, but that under the new management it would be most successful.

Japan's Financial Condition.

Tokio, Mar. 26.—The Japanese government is exerting itself to the utmost to relieve the country's financial situation, which grows weekly more serious. The markets seem to have been literally wrung financially dry. Failures, which were at first confined principally to the banks and larger commercial houses and financial companies, are now so numerous among the smaller tradesmen that it is difficult to keep track of them. March has been the worst month since the stringency began. Ten banks alone have closed their doors since the first.

Death of B. W. Stevens.

San Francisco, Mar. 26.—Durham White Stevens, American advisor of the Korean council of state, shot by a Korean assassin, died in St. Francis Hospital, shortly after 11 o'clock last night. The end came peacefully and followed an operation performed in the belief that his life might be saved. The bullet, it was found, had penetrated the abdomen and perforated the intestines six times. Peritonitis set in, and it was this that made the operation a necessity.

Tower 683 Feet High.

New York, Mar. 25.—The uncompleted tower of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company's building on Madison square, which was planned to be 658 feet high, is to be made 683 feet, or seventy-five feet higher than the Singer Building tower. The only higher structure in the world will be the Eiffel Tower, in Paris.

Highwayman Killed.

Chicago, Mar. 26.—A highway man was killed at daylight today in a running battle between a solitary policeman and three robbers who had terrorized a whole district and then emptied their pistols at their pursuer. The killing was the finale of a series of holdups in which the thugs, who wore evening suits, seized a cab and robbed every belated pedestrian they met. The dead footpad has not been identified. He was shot through the back of the cab, the bullet lodging in the head.

Burned by Night Riders.

Cincinnati, Mar. 26.—Night riders visited Covington, Ky., this morning and applied the torch to the immense tobacco warehouse of T. S. Hamilton & Co. When they left the warehouse with its half a million pounds of tobacco, six neighboring residences were in flames. The loss will reach $150,000.

Mr. John, Rhea, of Vining, Ia., says: "I have been using DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills for about a year and they give better satisfaction than any pill I ever sold. I have used them myself with fine results." Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

New York Stock Market.

New York, March 25.—The stock market opened almost generally lower. The initial declines consisting of sharp fractions in nearly all the leaders.

Reading was the feature during the first hour, leading all the active stocks in that period, reacting early and then trading. Most of the room traders were sellers.

Government fours registered advanced 1-4. Other bonds firmer.

DANDRUFF CAUSED BY A GERM.

A New Discovery That Kills the Germ and Prevents Baldness.

Pretty nearly all the hair preparations for dandruff have some merit in allaying itching of the scalp, and in being a fairly good dressing for the hair, but there is only one that recognizes what causes dandruff, falling hair, and baldness, and that destroys the cause, a little germ—and that is Newbro's Herpicide. This germ eats it way into the scalp, it digs up the scalp into little white scales. Unless it is destroyed there's no permanent stopping of falling hair and cure of dandruff and baldness. Newbro's Herpicide kills the germ. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect."

Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Bro., agents. Two sizes 50c and $1.00. Send 10c in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. 133

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THURSDAY EVEN NG, MAR 26, 1908.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:53 and sets 6:19.
High water at 3:18 a. m. and 3:41 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and tomorrow.

SINGLE FARE FOR VIRGINIANS.

Commissioner West has suggested to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia that Congress be requested to pass some sort of legislation whereby passengers on the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway will be enabled to reach various sections of Washington without paying more than one fare. Under present conditions the Mount Vernon Railway will be the only means of communicating with the substation that will be established at the foot of Fourteenth street near the Long bridge, Washington, to accommodate passengers from Virginia who desire to reach the center of the city without going to the Union station. Persons desiring to reach different departments of the government will have to walk to or from the terminus of the railroad or else pay an additional fare, unless some Congressional legislation is enacted whereby this condition of affairs is remedied. It is possible that in the future the main trolly lines of Washington will be extended to the substation. The commissioners will doubtless recommended that such extension be authorized. In the meantime, however, Commissioner West is of the opinion that the lack of complete facilities can be in some measure overcome by a single fare proposition.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Janie E. Park took place this afternoon from the residence on north Fayette street. The services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Humphreys, and the pallbearers were Messrs. Lambert and Roger Sullivan, Robert and Fred Bartlett and John and Samuel Devaughn.

The remains of the late Edgar R. Lowe were brought here today from Washington and interred in the M. P. Church cemetery. The funeral services were held at the residence of Mr. B. F. Bruner, brother-in-law of the deceased, in Washington. The services at the grave were conducted by Rev. Mr. Morton and the pallbearers were Messrs. G. W. Ramsay, George Wise, S. L. Monroe, F. F. Marbury, W. A. Smoot, jr., and A. E. Smoot.

DEATH OF A FIREMAN.

Mr. Wayne Lewis Garr, who was injured in the accident at the tunnel leading to the Union Depot in Washington several months ago, and who had since been in ill health, died yesterday afternoon at the Alexandria Hospital. The deceased was twenty-five years of age and unmarried. He was a native of Madison county, and was a fireman on the Southern Railway at the time of the accident. Mr. Garr was a member of Alva Aerie, Fraternal Order of Eagles, of this city. The members of that organization held a meeting last night and made arrangements to attend the funeral. The remains will be shipped to Culpeper where the interment will take place.

POLICE COURT.

[Justice L. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of today:

Malvin Newman, Joseph Timbers, Catharine Timbers and Laura Timbers, all colored, charged with disorderly conduct, were fined $5 each.

Alice Jones, colored, charged with vagrancy, was fined $5

A white man, charged with leaving a nuisance on premises formerly occupied by him, had his case continued.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS.

A meeting of Fitzgerald Council, Knights of Columbus, was held last night in St. Mary's Hall when arrangements were made by a number of members of the order to go to Petersburg next Sunday to witness the exemplification of the third degree of the order which will be conferred upon a large class of candidates in that city. The meeting was interesting throughout, and during the evening several members of the organization made speeches.

"FLUFFS AND FRILLS."

"Fluffs and Frills" is the title of a very catchy intermezzo two-step lately placed on sale in this city and composed by Miss Elizabeth Epps Minetree, daughter of the late Colonel Joseph P. Minetree. Miss Minetree has had the distinction of having her composition played by the Marine Band. Her charming personality has secured for her a large number of friends in this city who will rejoice to learn of her success in the realm of music.

NEW BAPTIST CHURCH.

A number of members of the First Baptist Church held a meeting in that church last night, to discuss arrangements and plans for the organization of another Baptist church in Alexandria. The new church will start, it is said, with a membership of about forty. Those engaged in the formation of the new church contemplate using the Baptist Mission, at the southwest corner of Columbus and Pendleton streets.

FIRED AT SUPPOSED BURGLARS.

Emmanuel Taveres, the Italian who was assaulted and robbed by negroes at his store at the extreme western end of King street last Monday night, supposed an attempt was being made to burglarize his place last night and he arose and fired two shots. The police visited the place but they found no evidence to show that any attempt had been made to break into the store.

THE CEMETERY ROAD.

City Attorney Fisher has received a communication from the Quartermaster General in reference to the improvement of the road from this city to the national cemetery. The latter says he can not repair a road within the city limits, but from the corporation line to the cemetery he will have improved.

Get DeWitt's Carbolized Witch Hazel Salve—it is good for piles. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co.

All want the best. The Hess, Walk Over, Red Cross, and Queen Quality Shoes are to be had at J. A. Marshall & Bro's., 422 King street. nov21 tf

PERSONAL.

"Over the Teacups" held an especially enjoyable meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. S. L. Monroe, when Mrs. Mary Nicholson Moore, of Savannah, gave a most delightful talk on the various cathedrals and art galleries of Italy. Mrs. Moore's fine collection of photographs and prints added much to the interest of the occasion.

Mrs. James E. Alexander, of Alexandria, Recorder of Crosses of Honor, for the Virginia Division, United Daughters of the Confederacy, is the guest of Mrs. J. Davis Christian, president of the Old Dominion Chapter.—[Lynchburg Advance.

The Misses Allen, of Alexandria, are visiting friends near Pine Top, Orange county.

Mrs. George Wise is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. C. Darst, in Richmond.

Mrs. O. M. Mooers, of Luck avenue, Richmond, is visiting her relatives in Alexandria.

ARRESTS.

Charles Stout, white, of Loudoun county, was arrested yesterday by Joseph F. Glover, Deputy United States Marshal, for violating the internal revenue law. He was given a hearing before United States Commissioner R. P. W. Garnett, and bailed for his appearance before the July court.

Sandy Brooks, colored, was also arrested yesterday by Deputy Marshal Glover for violation of the internal revenue law, in Alexandria, and was given a hearing before United States Commissioner R. P. W. Garnett this afternoon. The case was dismissed, the evidence not being sufficient to convict Brooks.

THE NAVY YARD.

Considerable uneasiness exists among the employes of the Washington navy yard, occasioned by the report in circulation in that yard to the effect that the working force is to be reduced to the minimum, or to what it was a great many years ago. It will be remembered that at one time those shops were only used for repair work and the employes numbered not exceeding 40 men. It is regretted that even such a report should be in circulation, much less that a general discharge should take place, knowing the depression already existing in the labor world.

TO RETURN TO THIS CITY?

It is again reported that the Southern Railway Company is contemplating vacating the Potomac railroad yards north of this city, and that freight trains are to be made up at the yards of the company in this city. The contract between the Southern and Washington-Southern railway companies for the use of the Potomac yards will expire on the 1st proximo.

Rheumatic Pains Relieved.

B. F. Crocker, Esq., now 84 years of age, and for twenty years Justice of the Peace at Martinsburg, Iowa, says: "I am terribly afflicted with sciatic rheumatism in my left arm and right hip. I have used three bottles of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and it did me lots of good." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

"CLASSMATES."

The Alexandria Amusement Company, 426 King street, will exhibit tonight the great picture entitled "Classmates." This picture is replete with thrilling scenes on the campus and in the ball room. It also shows President Roosevelt and ex-President Cleveland distributing diplomas to the graduates. The scene closes two years later with one of the classmates defending the honor of his wife and home. They will show in addition the beautiful picture called "A Blind Boy." Mrs. Fisher will sing "Won't You Be My Honey." Admission always the same, 5c. 1t

Money can be saved by buying your Shoes at Marshall's, 422 King street.

IN MEMORIAM.

In sad remembrance of my mother, SARAH A. MUNROE, who died March 25th, 1907—one year ago yesterday.

The night dew that falls,
Though in silence it weeps,
Shall cover the grave
Where mother sleeps.

And the tears that I've shed,
Though in secret they flow,
Shall long keep my memory
Wherever I go.

By her little daughter, KATIE.

REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE

DWELLINGS

911 Carlton, 9-room brick $3,500
507 N. Columbus, 6-room brick, $2,500
218 N. Fairfax, 3-room brick, $2,500.

LOTS.

A number of lots in Braddock Heights, small cash payment—balance monthly.

FOR RENT.

DWELLINGS.

507 Prince, 8 rooms, $27 50
716 Queen, 6 rooms, $22.
120 north St. Asaph, 6 rooms. $20.
421 south Washington, 6 rooms, $20.
114 Prince, 8 rooms, $12.50
126 north Payne, 5 rooms, $9.
117 Prince, 8 rooms, $8.
415 south Alfred, 6 rooms, $7.50.
1314 Princess, 6 rooms, $12.50.

APARTMENTS.

211 north Fairfax, 5 rooms, $22
1315 Duke, 6 rooms, $15.
208 King, 4 rooms, $7.50.
113 south Lee, 4 rooms, $7.50.

M. B. Harlow & Co., Inc.,

119 South Fairfax Street
Alexandria, Va.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

A meeting of the city democratic committee will be held at 8 o'clock tonight at the Opera House Cafe.

A house on south Washington street, near St. Mary's cemetery, in which there is a mild case of smallpox, is quarantined.

A fight occurred between several persons in an alley near the northwest corner of Wolfe and Columbus streets Tuesday night.

A chewing gum slot machine, recently stolen from in front of Mr. Henry Schlichting's store on Fairfax street, was found this morning in the sewer at the corner of Prince and Washington streets.

Marriage licenses were issued in Washington yesterday to James A. Pearson, and Mary G. Terrett, both to Alexandria, and to George W. Danne, of Willard, and Gertrude M. Kidwell, of Merrifield.

Frank Parker, in a note to this office, takes exception to the court report published recently in which it was stated he was charged with grand larceny in having stolen a hog. He says he was charged with buying a hog.

Our specialist makes no charge to determine if your sight may be improved or headache relieved. Virginia Eye Infirmary, 107 south Royal street. 1t

I will have for sale at my stand in the market tomorrow a fine lot of trout, white fish, sturgeon and other varieties of fresh fish. R. A. Travers.

Fried Clams 30c dozen. Vegetable soup Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday; clam soup Monday, Wednesday and Friday. C. H. Zimmerman, Market Space. marb tf

We are brim full of spring novelties for man, woman and child. See our line of low shoes. J. A. Marshall & Bro. 422 King street.

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HE NEVER BLAMED THE BOOZE.

He took a bottle up to bed, drank whisky hot each night;
Drank cocktails in the morning, but never could get tight.
He shivered in the evening and always had the blues
Until he had a bowl or two—but he never blamed the booze.

His joints were full of rheumatiz, his appetite was slack;
He had pains between his shoulders and chills ran down his back;
He suffered from insomnia, at night he could not snooze;
He said it was the climate—but he never blamed the booze.

His constitution was run down—at least that's what he said;
His legs were swelled each morning, and he often had swelled head;
He tackled beer and whisky, and if it didn't fuse
He blamed it to dyspepsia, but he never blamed the booze.

He said he couldn't sleep at night, and always had bad dreams;
He claimed he always lay awake till early sunrise beams;
He thought it was malaria; alas, twas but a ruse.
He blamed it on everything, but he never blamed the booze.

His liver needed scraping, and his kidneys had the gout,
He swallowed lots of bitters, till at last he cleaned them out;
His legs were swelled with dropsy till he had to cut his shoes,
He blamed it to the doctor, but he never blamed the booze.

Then he had the tremens, and he tackled rats and snakes;
First he had a fever, and then he had the shakes
At last he had a funeral, and the mourners had the blues,
And the epitaph carved for him was—"He Never Blamed the Beore."

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Kodol is today the best known remedy for all disorders of the stomach, such as dyspepsia, heartburn, sour stomach and belching of gas. Sold here by W. F. Creighton & Co.

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WANTED.

WANTED.—A STENOGRAPHER, one having some knowlege of bookkeeping Address G, Gazette office. mar26 3t

WANTED.—A sober, honest and industrious MAN for a position of trust. Good Salary, Address D, Gazette office. mar26 3t

WANTED.—REPRESENTATIVE in Alexandria to loan money for us on Real Estate References required. Address STANDARD TRUST CO., 710 Am. Nat'l Bank Bldg., mar25 3t Richmond, Va.

BOY WANTED—A good opening for an energetic boy under fifteen and a chance to learn business methods. Short hours and good pay. Need not interfere with school duties. Steady work in spare moments. E. E. KNIGHT, 621 King st., Alexandria. mar26

LIGHT AIRY ROOMS WITH BOARD—Centrally located within one square of Christ Church and car line; east and southern exposure, overlooking large side yard, bath, hot and cold water; all rooms heated, terms moderate. 224 north Columbus street 24 3t*

CANDIDATES.

I RESPECTFULLY announce myself a candidate for re-election as Mayor of the city of Alexandria and solicit the support of my fellow-citizens. FRED. J. PAFF.

FOR MAYOR.—In compliance to the urgent wishes of my friends I announce myself a candidate for Mayor, subject to the democratic primary.

I earnestly ask the consideration and support of my fellow-citizens.

mar24 1m JULIAN Y. WILLIAMS.

I NOTIFY MY FRIENDS and the public in general that I have removed my place of business from 513 King street to 405 King, second floor. WM. B. MURRAY, mar26 3t*

FOR SALE.

Under a resolution passed by the City Council on March 24 bids will be received by the Committee on Public Property until April 10 for the purchase of the property situated on the east side of Royal street, north of Cameron, and known as the HYDRAULION ENGINE HOUSE. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

CHARLES B. MARSHALL,
Chairman Committee on Public Property.
mar.6 td

STRAWBERRY SHORT CAKE

Beginning FRIDAY, March 27, and balance of the season.

Also Fresh Strawberries, Fruits, Etc., always on hand.

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A TYPEWRITER in good condition. Apply at this office. mar26 1t

FOR SALE—Eggs for setting from choice BLACK MINORCA and BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCKS, 75c, per setting. Dr. C. E. OUTCALT, 1t 122 south Washington street.

NOTICE.—Having qualified as administrator of the estate of JAMES E. McKENNEY, deceased, all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt settlement of their indebtedness, and all persons to whom said estate is indebted are requested to present their accounts properly certified for settlement.

ROBERT H. COX, Sergeant, mar26 10t Administrator.

MR. BRYAN AND THE SOUTH.

New York, March 25th, 1908.

To the Editor of the Alexandria Gazette:

It is surprising to a great many northern democrats that the southern States, in some regions and among many of the politicians, should furnish the only substantial following for Mr. Bryan, whose methods are the very opposite of what the South would seem most to need. The South remembers well that the disorder, which the period of so called reconstruction imposed upon it, kept away for years the capital needed for its development. So, the great progress it has made, through its long period of recovery, will be again arrested through the disturbing effects of Mr. Bryan's Bohemian politics, whose seeming acceptance by the South, so contrary to its former spirit of conservatism, has already operated to deter capital from investing there, even before the present panic, and will but intensify the fear and indisposition to do so.

Mr. Bryan has had unprecedented opportunities of offering himself to the country. His party has accepted him twice and the country declined him. His self-maintained prominence as a standing candidate has, through this advertisement, brought him great personal profit as a lecturer, but has stamped the democratic party as unworthy of trust by the business interests of the country. His specious trifling with the most important subjects, or, as an alternative, his crudeness of thought, shows his unfitness for administration, as illustrated in his recent assertion that a silver dollar was set aside, as not representing enough, by men who adopted, in the panic, clearing-house certificates that represented nothing; although his silver dollar, when demonetized, represented in the world's exchanges about forty-three cents, whereas the certificates of the clearing-houses represented the capital, resources and credit of all the banks as much as their bank notes, and were used to prevent a simultaneous universal run on the banks that would have ruined the country at large. It affected the same result as the legislative permission to the savings banks to claim sixty days notice from depositors of withdrawal of funds, to prevent panic runs; so that, after the sixty days, depositors were glad to leave their money invested there. The clearing-house action, which operated as a breakwater saving the shipping in the storm, has been the admiration of the world.

Mr. Bryan's very choice of name for his newspaper, "The Commoner," described his unworthy political character, and in fact is an insult to American people, who have no "Lords and Commons." It implies a formal, fundamental distinction and opposition of so-called classes which has no existence in the United States, the expedient of a man who seeks a reason for his existence as a politican. It belongs to the same class of artificial terms, with hideous political significance and consequence, as the celebrated "irrepressible conflict," which was thus formalized for an immediate partisan political effect during a New York State election, but wrought beyond its selfish purpose and platformed an irreconcilable issue, that in two years threw the country, against the wish and will and belated endeavors of its originator, a prospective presidential candidate, into civil war.

Mr. Bryan has less chance of acceptance now than ever. The eastern and middle States will not have him, because their commercial and manufacturing interests cannot thrive in an atmosphere of constant broil and turmoil. And conversation with western business men shows that he has passed away there. His restless self-assertion and presence on the speaking platform is what gives him an air of presidential possibility. There is no ground for supposing that he could obtain the electoral vote of a single State excepting in the South. Since the South furnished lately all the democratic electoral votes, may I suggest that it should cut loose from this belonging and choose among its many able men, for a presidential candidate, one of poise and discretion, whose character would give assurance of a constitutional and effective, but orderly, administration, one mindful of the French maxim, that "good makes no noise and noise does no good." The present moment is one in which a new and reassuring manifestation would widely and deeply affect the public mind, and such a candidate would keep gathering strong and tenacious support in the north. The depression of business, shackled from the difficulty of borrowing money through distrust of the political situation, and with hundreds of thousands of men out of employment all over the country, is a propitious moment for the South to come forward with a good, sober candidate and take again a position worthy of itself in the general politics of the country.

New York, New Jersey and Connecticut have a large independent vote, which makes a balance of power. Through like industrial and commercial interests and immediate vicinity, they are likely to go as one. Many residents of the two last States have their business interests in New York. These men are disgusted with the republican party, so an opportunity offers the same as elected Cleveland, governor and president, an opportunity that, neglected, will not soon return. Mr. Leake, of New Jersey, has truly voiced, on the floor of the House of Representatives, the dominant attitude of this community towards Bryanism and represents the independent vote that decides the victory in these three States. A good conservative southern candidate would have an excellent chance of carrying these through the support of the business and labor interests, which latter depend necessarily upon the prosperity of business. And there is no man who seems so fitted and likely to attack this great independent vote as Judge George Gray, whose sterling, well-balanced qualities showed forth so quietly and effectively in settling the great coal strike, which had come to weigh so heavily upon the country. His discretion, judgment and skill in that difficult task won him approval throughout the land from professional, business and laboring men alike, as a practical administrator of a high order. Moreover, as a Delaware man, he stands between the north and South; and through Delaware's affinity and former classification as a southern State he would honor the South. An association of laboring men in the Lackawanna region has already started a movement in his favor. If the democratic and independent members in the Boards of Trade and in the labor associations throughout the country would be once further the movement, instead of leaving everything to the politicians, it would keep gathering strength and, as a substantial promise of order and prosperity, become irresistible.

W. J. MARRIN.

Bryan democrats exercised supreme control over the State convention at Cedar Rapids, Iowa, today.

LETTER TO DR WILTON AITCHESON
Alexandria, Virginia.

Dear Sir: The paint question boiled down is simply this:

The paint that takes least gallons, wears longest: Always.

Here's an instance:

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Three Desirable Building Lots on North Royal Street,
Near Cameron street. These lots have a frontage of 48 feet to a depth of 130 feet.

Three Choice Building Lots on North Columbus Street,
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At the southwest corner of Mt. Vernon and Alexandria Avenues, in Braddock Heights, having a frontage of 120 feet on Mt. Vernon Avenue and a depth of 100 feet. No better site in this section for a suburban home.

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In our Coats and Suits this spring we have bettered even our own good record for fine tailoring and good lining.

At $5 Black Cheviot or Tan Covert Cloth Jackets, satin lined.
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THURSDAY EVENING, MAR. 26, 1908.

A President's Daughter.

When President Grant's only daughter, Nellie, afterward Mrs. Sartoris, was a miss of twelve years, she attended a private school in Washington. One afternoon, says the author of "The Olivia Letters," Nellie's lessons were not learned. The carriage came for her, but the teacher dismissed it with the request that it should return at the end of a half hour. The half hour came and glided away with the lesson still unlearned. The carriage came again and was dismissed. At the end of the second half hour the lesson was committed, and Miss Nellie was permitted to go. The next day at the usual hour the young lady arrived, accompanied by her mother. The teacher began to fear she had lost her most cherished pupil, but Mrs. Grant came to thank her for performing her duty.

"Teach her," said Mrs. Grant, "that she is only plain, simple Nellie Grant, subject to the same rules which govern all the scholars. This course will have my sincere approbation."

Reached the Limit.

A Providence girl, who has been married about six months, had wedding cards a short time ago from an old school friend who had given her a wedding present, which, of course, demanded one in return. Among her wedding presents the Providence girl had duplicates in the shape of two silver card trays, and in a spirit of economy she decided to give one of these to her friend. It was marked with her own initials, but it would be only a matter of a few minutes to have them removed and the proper monogram cut. She took it to the jeweler and explained what was to be done. He picked up the tray, looked at it closely and smiled.

"Madam," said he, "it will be impossible. I have already changed the initials on this same tray five times, and it has worn so thin that I cannot do it again without cutting through the bottom."—Providence Journal.

His Fears Realized.

For years the old country couple had looked forward to spending a holiday in London, and one day they found themselves in the very busiest part of the city. Together they stood watching the traffic, to which there seemed no end. They did not know how to cross the street.

"Whatever you do, Liza, don't git separated from me," said the old man to his wife, "and, whatever you do, don't cross the road without me."

Then a kindly constable came along and, seeing the old woman hesitating, took her by the arm and commenced to pilot her to the opposite side.

"Dang my buttons," cried out the old man in alarm, "I allus told 'er that some one wud take a fancy to 'er, but I didn't think any one 'ud 'ave the impertance to take 'er afore my very eyes!"—London Tit-Bits.

Had a Slow but Sure Gait.

There have been numerous disappointments in the outcome of some of the boys. We remember one boy in particular who was the butt of all ridicule from the boys of his age, and he took it good naturedly. He seemed to have no particular friends and herded by himself. His clothes always looked funny, and he had that awkward swagger over which the rest of us had much sport. No one ever thought that that plug would ever get anywhere or have anything. But today that plug is drawing a better salary than any two of the old gang. He has more money, more influence and more friends than any of the rest of us. The plug had a gait that was slow, but it was sure. He didn't appear to be a bit bright then, but he had a surface that took on a polish.—Westphalia (Mo.) Times.

Yet He Didn't Need Them.

He had been calling on a young lady for many moons; but, being backward, his suit progressed slowly. Finally she decided it was up to her to start something, so the next time he called she pointed to the rose in his buttonhole and said:

"I'll give you a kiss for that rose." A large, open face blush meandered over his countenance, but the exchange was made. Then he grabbed his hat and started to leave the room.

"Why, where are you going?" she asked in surprise.

"To the—er—florist for more roses," he exclaimed.

Dangerous Ignorance.

If his son came to him and said, "I want you to show me on a piece of paper how this house is drained and why such traps are used," could the average citizen satisfy that son? Of course he could not. A few might be able to do so, but the average man is an ignorant person on all questions of hygiene.—G. H. R. Dabbs, M. D., in C. B. Fry's Magazine.

All Hers.

"I'm told," said Miss Pepprey, "that your bride is very pretty."

"Yes, indeed," replied Mr. Con Seet. "Several of the guests at the ceremony were pleased to call it 'a wedding of beauty and brains.'"

"Really? She must be a remarkable woman to have beauty and brains too."—Philadelphia Press.

He Listened to All.

Fontenelle listened to everything, and he offended no one by disputing anything. At the close of his life he was asked the secret of his success, and he replied that it was by observing two maxims, "Everybody may be right" and "Everything may be so."

The true strength of every human soul is to be dependent on as many nobler as it can discern and to be depended upon by as many inferior as it can reach.—Ruskin.

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He Hung on to the Record.

A fish story I heard while camping involves an old man who had little regard for the truth. Two young men made it up to go to the old gentleman's house and outgeneral him by telling the biggest lie to the old man, who held the record. After being at the old man's house some time one of them asked the old gentleman if he had heard about the big fire. He said he had not and asked them where it was. The young man told him a gasoline launch had exploded on the river and the whole river was on fire. The old man sat quiet for a moment, then turned to his wife and said, "Mother, I told you something terrible had happened up the river today when I caught that catfish with his fins all burned off."—Chicago Tribune.

How She Helped.

A servant girl who had been through the mill before was being cross examined the morning after her new engagement. Said her mistress:

"And did your last mistress assist you in cooking, Maggie?"

"Weel, aye, in a way she did," admitted Maggie.

"How did she do it, now?" asked her mistress.

"By stoppin' oot o' the kitchen, mem," was Maggie's retort, and the mistress gracefully retired.—London Answers.

A Hot Knife.

"A knife that cuts butter when it is hot" (and under no other circumstances) we sometimes meet with, and the reason of this is easily explained. Heat expands metal and in proportion to the amount of metal which is heated. There is more metal in the breadth of a blade than in its thickness, and the former therefore is expanded immensely more than the latter. In other words, the wedgelike shape is lengthened, and the tool becomes "sharp."

The Greater Ache.

"You might think you've got such a heartache," said the woman, "that you can't stand it at all. You'll never get over it, never in the world! You can't stand it another minute without dying of it, but just wait till you get the toothache good and hard, then stand by and watch the heartache go way back and sit down."—New York Press.

Anatomy.

"How many ribs have you, Johnny?" asked the teacher.

"I don't know, ma'am," giggled Johnny, squirming around on one foot. "I'm so awful ticklish I never could count 'em."—Ladies' Home Journal.

"What's Dad A-doin'?"

"Mammy's knittin' dad a pair o' socks."

"An' what's dad a-doin' of?"

"Prayin' to the Lord for shoes!"—Atlanta Constitution.

Making a Monkey of Him.

"I have something to tell you. I have a tale about my ancestors."

"I presume your ancestors had tails about themselves." — Detroit Free Press.

Nothing can be done at once hastily and prudently.—Publius Syrus.

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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has no superior for coughs, colds and croup, and the fact that it is pleasant to take and contains nothing in any way injurious has made it a favorite with mothers. Mr. W. S. Pelham, a merchant of Kirksville, Iowa, says: "For more than twenty years Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been my leading remedy for all throat troubles. It is especially successful in cases of croup. Children like it and my customers who have used it will not take any other." For sale by W. F. Creighton and Richard Gibson.

MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the GREAT FALLS POWER COMPANY for the election of directors and the transaction of such business as may properly come before said meeting will be held at the office of C. C. Carlin, No. 107 north Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., THURSDAY, April 2, 1908, at 12 o'clock, noon.

F. J. WHITEHEAD, Secretary.

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THE annual meeting of the stockholders of the NATIONAL PRINTING AND EXHIBIT COMPANY will be held at its principal office, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on MONDAY, April 6, 1908, at 2 p. m., for the election of officers and to transact any other business as may properly come up.

mar 13td WM. H. BOSLEY, Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON SANITARY IMPROVEMENT COMPANY will be held at its principal office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., on TUESDAY, April 7, 1908, at 2 p. m., for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business which may properly come up.

mar20 td GEO. M. KOBER, Secretary.

Office of the
LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE CO.
1231 Callowhill street,
Philadelphia, Pa., March 20th, 1908.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleichmann, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon THURSDAY, the 9th day of April, 1908, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it.

Transfer books will be closed on March 30 at 4 o'clock p. m. and will be opened on April 14 at 10 o'clock a. m.

By order of the Board of Directors.

W. ARTHUR SELLMAN, Secretary.

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AUCTION SALE.

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BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST made by Mary Anne McCuen, bearing date on the 14th day of July, 1906, and of record in the land records of the city of Alexandria, Va., in deed book No. 55, page 104, and at the request of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the said deed of trust according to its terms, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale on

SATURDAY, the 28th day of March, 1908, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon in the said city of Alexandria, Va., bounded as follows, to wit:

Beginning at a point on Wilkes street eighty-one feet, eight and one-half inches to the west of Royal street, and running thence south one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches; thence west and parallel to Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the lot conveyed by George Washington and others to John B. Webster; thence north and parallel to Royal street one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches to Wilkes street; thence east and binding on Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the beginning, with the right to use the west wall or side of the house upon the lot adjoining this lot on the east, and with right reserved to open an alley ten feet wide from said ajoining lot on the east across this property, the north line of said alley to be ninety feet south of Wilkes street, and to correspond with a similar alley laid off, as specified in a deed dated April 1, 1854, from James W. Campbell to James Breen.

Terms of sale: One-third cash, and the balance in six and twelve months, the deferred payments to be evidenced by the notes of the purchaser, bearing interests at six per cent. per annum, and title to be retained until purchase money is paid in full, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Commissioner of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, Commissioner of sale in the above entitled cause, has executed bond with approved security, conditioned for the faithful performance of his duty, in accordance with the terms of said decree.

NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.

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Owing to the inclemency of the weather the above sale was postponed to SATURDAY, March 28, when it will take place at the same place and hour.

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In Effect February 5, 1908.

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8:22 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg, Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for Charlottesville and points south at which scheduled to stop. First class coaches and drawing-room sleepers for Columbus, Macon and New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:27 P. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Jacksonville. Tourist to California tri-weekly.

4:32 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Augusta Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Sleeper to Aiken. Dining car service a la carte.

10:33 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:48 A. M. and 3:13, 9:13, 9:43 and 11:13 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:22 A. M., and 6:35 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 5:15 P. M. week days for Leesburg; 9:21 A. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont; 4:48 P. M. daily for Bluemont.

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FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5:45, 6:52, 8:32, 10:25, 11:25 a. m., 12:52, 1:25, 2:25, 3:32, 4:36, 5:35, 7:05 and 8:46 p. m.

Sundays—7:00, 9:32, 10:41, 11:40 a. m., 12:40, 1:40, 2:40, 3:40, 4:47, 7:05, 8:46 and 10:16 p. m.

Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect January 6, 1908.

Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8:02 and 9:08 a. m., 12:01, 2:34, 8:07, 9:23, and 11:33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—9:08 a. m., 12:01, 8:52, 9:23 and 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:22, 4:37, 8:33 and 11:22 a. m., 4:32, 5:08 (local), and 9:47 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4:37, 6:48, and 11:22 a. m., 4:02, 5:18 (local), and 9:47 p. m.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 8:48 a. m. week days.

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AUCTION SALE OF A DESIRABLE HOUSE AND LOT IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA.

Pursuant to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on March 11, 1908, in the chancery cause of Annie F. Webster, guardian, etc., vs. Mary B. Webster and Annie L. Webster, therein depending, the undersigned, who, by the terms of said decree, was appointed special commissioner for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal street entrance of the Market building in this city, at 12 o'clock noon, on

MONDAY, March 23, 1908,

all that lot of ground with the buildings and improvements thereon, known as No. 406 Wilkes street, situated on the south side of Wilkes street, between Royal and Pitt streets, and bounded as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point on Wilkes street eighty-one feet, eight and one-half inches to the west of Royal street, and running thence south one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches; thence west and parallel to Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the lot conveyed by George Washington and others to John B. Webster; thence north and parallel to Royal street one hundred and fifty-one feet, seven inches to Wilkes street; thence east and binding on Wilkes street seventeen feet, eight and one-half inches to the beginning, with the right to use the west wall or side of the house upon the lot adjoining this lot on the east, and with right reserved to open an alley ten feet wide from said ajoining lot on the east across